

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet 1 of 15

Application Number	10/763,444		
Filing Date	January 23, 2004		
First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.		
Art Unit	1761		
Examiner Name	Not yet assigned		
Attorney Docket	67641		

	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner Cite		Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages				
Initials*	No.	Number-Kind Code ²	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appear				
Rig		US-1,576,735	03/16/1926	Fessenden					
		US-3,083,101	03/26/1963	Noury					
		US-3,403,617	10/01/1968	Lampe					
		US-3,790,029	02/05/1974	Ward					
		US-D255,529	06/24/1980	Dziekonski					
		US-4,382,402	05/10/1983	Alvarez					
		US-4,471,689	09/18/1984	Piana					
		US-4,484,515	11/27/1984	Illy					
		US-4,551,611	11/05/1985	Longo					
		US-4,653,390	03/31/1987	Hayes					
		US-4,724,752	02/16/1988	Aliesch et al.					
		US-4,738,378	04/19/1988	Oakley et al.					
		US-4,744,291	05/17/1988	Wallin					
40		US-4,787,299	11/29/1988	Levi et al.					

		FORE	GN PATENT D	OCUMENTS		
Examiner	Cite	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines	
initials*	No.1	Country Code ³ -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁵	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T⁵
AND		EP-0 057 671 A2	08/11/1982	Plana		
		EP-0 151 252 A1	08/14/1985	Masek		
		EP-0 272 922 A2	06/29/1988	Bentley et al.		
		EP-0 334 571 A1	09/27/1989	Newman et al.		
$\sqcup \downarrow$		EP-0 334 572 A1	09/27/1989	Newman et al.		
		EP-0 449 533 A1	10/02/1991	Tansley et al.		
		EP-0 451 980 A2	10/16/1991	Tansley et al.		
م'م		EP-0 455 337 A1	11/06/1991	Bentley et al.		
w	<u> </u>	EP-0 469 162 A1	02/05/1992	Fond		

Examiner Signature Date Considered 10/25/06

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

PTO/SB/08A				Application Number	10/763,444	
Substitute for Form PTO-1449				Filing Date	January 23, 2004	
	INFORMATION DISCLOSURE			First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.	
STAT	TEMENT	BY APF	PLICANT	Art Unit	1761	
(use as many sheets as necessary)			cessary)	Examiner Name	Not yet assigned	
Sheet	2	of	15	Attorney Docket	67641	

	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner Cite		Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages				
Initials*	No.¹	Number-Kind Code ²	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appear				
M		US-4,806,375	02/21/1989	Favre					
1		US-4,818,544	04/04/1989	Seward					
		US-4,838,152	06/13/1989	Kubicko et al.					
		US-4,846,052	07/11/1989	Favre et al.					
		US-4,853,234	08/01/1989	Bentley et al.					
		US-4,873,915	10/17/1989	Newman et al.					
		US-4,876,953	10/31/1989	lmamura et al.					
		US-4,886,674	12/12/1989	Seward et al.					
		US-4,917,005	04/17/1990	Knepler					
		US-4,920,870	05/01/1990	Newman et al.					
		US-4,921,712	05/01/1990	Malmquist					
		US-4,990,352	02/05/1991	Newman et al.					
}		US-5,014,611	05/14/1991	Illy et al.					
M		US-5,063,836	11/12/1991	Patel					

	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Cite		Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines	П		
Initials*	No.1	Country Code ³ -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁵	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T ⁶		
2		EP-0 521 510 A1	01/07/1993	Fond				
		EP-0 524 464 A1	01/27/1993	Fond et al.				
		EP-0 638 486 A1	02/15/1995	Gibbs et al.				
		EP-0 604 615 B1	09/23/1998	Fond et al.				
		EP-0 862 882 A1	09/09/1998	Nello				
		EP-0 870 457 A1	10/14/1998	Fond et al.				
		EP-0 904 718 A1	03/31/1999	Kraan				
/		EP-0 756 844 B1	05/06/1999	Gotham et al.				
\mathcal{N}		EP-0 730 425 B1	05/19/1999	Fischer				

Examiner Signature	R Alexande	Date Considered	10/25/06

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional).

See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04.

³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁸ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English lenguage Translation is attached.

PTO/SB/08	A for Form PTO	1440		Application Number	10/763,444
Substitute	ioi Form F10	-1449		Filing Date	January 23, 2004
	RMATIO			First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.
STA	TEMENT	BY APP	LICANT	Art Unit	1761
(us	(use as many sheets as necessary)			Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
Sheet	3	of	15	Attorney Docket	67641

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner Cite		Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages			
Initials*	No.1	Number-Kind Code ²	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appear			
DD.		US-5,072,660	12/17/1991	Helbling				
		US-5,082,676	01/21/1992	Love et al.				
		US-5,134,924	08/04/1992	Vicker				
		US-5,178,058	01/12/1993	van Dort et al.				
		US-5,183,998	02/02/1993	Hoffman et al.				
		US-5,186,096	02/16/1993	Willi				
		US-5,197,374	03/30/1993	Fond				
		US-5,242,702	09/07/1993	Fond				
		US-5,259,295	11/09/1993	Timm				
		US-5,265,520	11/30/1993	Giuliano				
		US-5,272,960	12/28/1993	Kinna				
		US-5,285,717	02/15/1994	Knepler				
1		US-5,287,797	02/22/1994	Grykiewicz et al.				
1		US-5,303,639	04/19/1994	Bunn et al.				

	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner (Cite	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines	Γ		
Initials*	No.1	Country Code ³ -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁵	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	Where Relevant Pessages or Relevant Figures Appear	T₽		
RD		EP-1 042 978 A1	10/11/2000	Cordone				
		EP-1 090 574 A1	04/11/2001	Kollep et al.				
		EP-1 095 605 A1	05/02/2001	Kollep et al.				
		EP-1 101 430 A1	05/23/2001	Hale				
		EP-1 153 561 A1	11/14/2001	Kollep et al.				
		EP-1 208 782 A1	05/29/2002	Yoakim et al.				
1		EP-0 862 882 B1	07/03/2002	Nello				
rz	_	EP-1 255 685 A1 (WO 01/58786 A1)	11/13/2002	Halliday et al.				

Examiner RALEXAND Date Considered 10/25/10/6

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁶ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁸ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

PTO/SB/08A Substitute for Form PTO-1449				Application Number	10/763,444
Substitute for Form F10-1449				Filing Date	January 23, 2004
	INFORMATION DISCLOSURE			First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.
STA	TEMENT	BY APP	LICANT	Art Unit	1761
(use as many sheets as necessary)			cessary)	Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
Sheet 4		of	15	Attorney Docket	67641

	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner Cite		Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages				
Initials*	No.1	Number-Kind Code ²	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appear				
4		US-5,325,765	07/05/1994	Sylvan et al.					
		US-5,327,815	07/12/1994	Fond et al.					
		US-5,343,799	09/06/1994	Fond					
		US-5,347,916	09/20/1994	Fond et al.					
		US-5,349,897	09/27/1994	King et al.					
		US-5,375,508	12/27/1994	Knepler et al.					
		US-5,398,595	03/21/1995	Fond et al.					
		US-5,398,596	03/21/1995	Fond					
		US-5,408,917	04/25/1995	Lüssi					
		US-5,440,972	08/15/1995	English					
		US-5,455,887	10/03/1995	Dam					
		US-5,463,932	11/07/1995	Olson					
}		US-5,472,719	12/05/1995	Favre					
ms		US-5,479,849	01/02/1996	King et al.					

	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner	Cite	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines				
Initials*	No.1	Country Code ³ -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁵	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T⁰			
ma		EP-1 255 685 B1	04/28/2004	Halliday et al.					
		EP-1 274 332 A1 (WO 01/60220 A1)	01/15/2003	Lazaris et al.					
		EP-1 316 283 A2	06/04/2003	Piscaer					
		FR-1 537 031	08/23/1968	Fasano					
		FR-2 322 796 A1	04/01/1977	Manaresi					
		GB-468 248 A	07/01/1937	Whiting					
.		GB-828 529 A	02/17/1960	Jessel					
RS		GB-1 215 840 A	12/16/1970	Lampe					

			1	
Examiner Signature	R. Alexander	Date Considered	10/29	106

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in

conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional).

See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04.

Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3).

For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document.

Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

	PTO/SB/08A Substitute for Form PTO-1449		Application Number	10/763,444	
Substitute	ior rorm P1U-	1449		Filing Date	January 23, 2004
	RMATIO	_		First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.
STA	TEMENT .	BY APF	PLICANT	Art Unit	1761
(us	se as many sh	eets as ne	cessary)	Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
Sheet	Sheet 5 of 15		Attorney Docket	67641	

			U.S. PATENT D	OCUMENTS	
Examiner Cite	Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages	
Initials*	No.¹	Number-Kind Code ²	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appear
es2		US-5,531,152	07/02/1996	Gardosi	
		US-5,531,604	07/02/1996	Huang	
		US-5,549,035	08/27/1996	Wing-Chung	
		US-5,603,254	02/18/1997	Fond et al.	
		US-5,637,335	06/10/1997	Fond et al.	
		US-5,638,741	06/17/1997	Cisaria	
		US-5,639,023	06/17/1997	Hild et al.	
		US-5,649,412	07/22/1997	Binacchi	
		US-5,649,472	07/22/1997	Fond et al.	
		US-5,704,275	01/06/1998	Warne	
		US-5,738,001	04/14/1998	Liverani	
		US-5,762,987	06/09/1998	Fond et al.	
		US-5,776,527	07/07/1998	Blanc	
as		US-5,794,519	08/18/1998	Fischer	

	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner	Cite	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines	Τ			
Initials*	Nø.¹	Country Code ³ -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁵	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T6			
20		GB-2 306 432 A	05/07/1997	Peterson et al.					
		GB-2 374 795 A	10/30/2002	Hester et al.					
		GB-2 374 816 A	10/30/2002	Hayes et al.					
		GB-2 374 856 A	10/30/2002	Hayes et al.					
		GB-2 379 624 A	03/19/2003	Hester et al.					
		JP-2000-93309	04/04/2000	Sato		1			
		WO-88/07472 A1	10/06/1988	Uusitalo					
		WO-95/07648 A1	03/23/1995	Scott et al.		Γ			
W		WO-95/16377 A1	06/22/1995	Vass et al.					

Examiner Signature Date Considered 10/25/04

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

	PTO/SB/08A Substitute for Form PTO-1449			Application Number	10/763,444
Substitute	ior Form P10	-1449		Filing Date	January 23, 2004
	RMATIO			First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.
STA	STATEMENT BY APPLICANT			Art Unit	1761
lus	se as many sl	heets as nec	cessary)	Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
Sheet 6 of 15		Attorney Docket	67641		

			U.S. PATENT D	OCUMENTS	
Examiner Cite	Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages	
Initials*	No.'	Number-Kind Code ²	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appear
RD		US-5,826,492	10/27/1998	Fond et al.	
		US-5,840,189	11/24/1998	Sylvan et al.	
		US-5,858,437	01/12/1999	Anson	
		US-5,862,738	01/26/1999	Warne	
		US-5,895,672	04/20/1999	Cooper	
		US-5,897,899	04/27/1999	Fond	
		US-5,921,168	07/13/1999	Nello	
		US-5,948,455	09/07/1999	Schaeffer et al.	
		US-5,967,021	10/19/1999	Yung	
		US-5,974,950	11/02/1999	King	
		US-5,992,298	11/30/1999	Illy et al.	
		US-6,000,317	12/14/1999	Van Der Meer	
		US-6,006,653	12/28/1999	Sham et al.	
R		US-6,009,792	01/04/2000	Kraan	

·	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner (Cite	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines	Π			
Initials*	No.¹	Country Code ³ -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁵	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	т			
N		WO-97/17006 A1	05/15/1997	Nello					
1		WO-98/27854 A1	07/02/1998	Van Der Meer					
		WO-00/28868 A1	05/25/2000	Mariller et al.					
		WO-00/42891 A1	07/27/2000	Beaulieu et al.		L			
		WO-01/15582 A1	03/08/2001	Kraan					
		WO-01/30218 A1	05/03/2001	Koliep et al.		L			
		WO-01/58786 A1	08/16/2001	Halliday et al.					
•		WO-01/60219 A1	08/23/2001	Lazaris et al.		L			
DP		WO-01/60220 A1	08/23/2001	Lazaris et al.					

Examiner Signature	DAlson	Date Considered	10/25/06

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04.

Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). *See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. *Senter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). *For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. *Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. *Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

	PTO/SB/08A Substitute for Form PTO-1449			Application Number	10/763,444
Substitute	for Form PTO-	1449		Filing Date	January 23, 2004
	RMATIO			First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.
STA	TEMENT I	BY APF	PLICANT	Art Unit	1761
(use as many sheets as necessary)				Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
Sheet 7 of 15		Attorney Docket	67641		

			U.S. PATENT D	OCUMENTS	
Examiner	Cite	Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages
Initials*	No.1	Number-Kind Code ²	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appear
as		US-D419,821	02/01/2000	Powell et al.	
1		US-6,021,705	02/08/2000	Dijs	
		US-6,025,000	02/15/2000	Fond et al.	
		US-D423,863	05/02/2000	Lupi	
		US-6,062,127	05/16/2000	Klosinski et al.	
		US-6,068,871	05/30/2000	Fond et al.	
		US-6,082,245	07/04/2000	Nicolai	
		US-6,095,031	08/01/2000	Warne	
		US-6,109,168	08/29/2000	Illy et al.	
		US-6,117,471	09/12/2000	King	
		US-6,142,063	11/07/2000	Beaulieu et al.	
		US-6,170,386 B1	01/09/2001	Paul	
T		US-6,173,117 B1	01/09/2001	Clubb	
W		US-6,178,874 B1	01/30/2001	Joergensen	

	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner (Cite	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages	Ī		
Initials*	No.'	Country Code ³ -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁵	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appear	Τ°		
W		WO-01/82760 A1	11/08/2001	Kollep et al.				
		WO-02/19875 A1	03/14/2002	Colston et al.		L		
		WO-02/28241 A1	04/11/2002	Boyd et al.		L		
		WO-02/074143 A2	09/26/2002	Sargent et al.				
		WO-02/074661 A1	09/26/2002	Dalton et al.		L		
		WO-02/082962 A1	10/24/2002	Lazaris et al.				
		WO-02/085170 A2	10/31/2002	Duffy et al.		L		
ļ		WO-02/085170 A3	03/13/2003	Duffy et al.		L		
W2		WO-02/087400 A1	11/07/2002	Hayes et al.				

Examiner Signature Date Considered 10/25/06

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

PTO/SB/08				Application Number	10/763,444
Substitute for Form PTO-1449		Filing Date	January 23, 2004		
	RMATION			First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.
STA	TEMENT E	BY API	PLICANT	Art Unit	1761
(use as many sheets as necessary)		Examiner Name	Not yet assigned		
Sheet	8	of	15	Attorney Docket	67641

	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS									
Examiner	Cite	Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages					
Initials*	No.1	Number-Kind Code ²	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appear					
W		US-6,182,554 B1	02/06/2001	Beaulieu et al.						
1		US-6,186,051 B1	02/13/2001	Aarts						
		US-6,240,832 B1	06/05/2001	Schmed et al.						
		US-6,240,833 B1	06/05/2001	Sham et al.						
		US-6,245,371 B1	06/12/2001	Gutwein et al.						
		US-D443,792 S	06/19/2001	Peters et al.						
		US-6,279,459 B1	08/28/2001	Mork et al.						
	<u> </u>	US-6,289,948 B1	09/18/2001	Jeannin et al.						
		US-2001/0048957 A1	12/06/2001	Lazaris et al.						
		US-D452,107 S	12/18/2001	Cahen						
		US-2002/0002913 A1	01/10/2002	Mariller et al.						
		US-2002/0015768 A1	02/07/2002	Masek et al.						
		US-6,347,725 B1	02/19/2002	Yoakim et al.						
2		US-2002/0023543 A1	02/28/2002	Schmed						

		FOREI	IGN PATENT D	OCUMENTS		
Examiner	Cite	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages	Γ
Initials*	No.1	Country Code ³ -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁵	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appear	T
20		WO-02/092439 A2	11/21/2002	Edwards et al.		
		WO-03/026470 A2	04/03/2003	Knitel		
		WO-03/059778 A2	07/24/2003	Denisart et al.		
		WO-03/059778 A3	01/08/2004	Denisart et al.		L
		WO-03/039309 A1	05/15/2003	Zurcher et al.		
		WO-03/059778 A2	07/24/2003	Denisart et al.		L
		WO-03/065859 A2	08/14/2003	Green		L
Rid		WO-03/065859 A3	12/31/2003	Green		\perp

	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
Examiner Signature	R. Alexan	Date Considered	10/05/06	

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04.

³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

PTO/SB/08A				Application Number	10/763,444
Substitute for Form PTO-1449				Filing Date	January 23, 2004
	PRMATIO			First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.
STA	TEMENT	BY APP	PLICANT	Art Unit	1761
(use as many sheets as necessary)		Examiner Name	Not yet assigned		
Sheet 9 of 15		Attorney Docket	67641		

	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS									
Examiner	Cite	Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages					
Initials*	No.1	Number-Kind Code ²	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appear					
as		US-6,358,545 B1	03/19/2002	Chandler et al.						
1		US-2002/0048621 A1	04/25/2002	Boyd et al.						
		US-6,405,637 B1	06/18/2002	Cai						
		US-2002/0078831 A1	06/27/2002	Cai						
		US-D459,628 S	07/02/2002	Cahen						
		US-2002/0088807 A1	07/11/2002	Perkovic et al.						
		US-D460,653 S	07/23/2002	Cahen						
		US-D461,358 S	08/13/2002	Cahen						
		US-2002/0121197 A1	09/05/2002	Mercier et al.						
		US-2002/0121198 A1	09/05/2002	Kollep et al.						
		US-2002/0124736 A1	09/12/2002	Kollep et al.						
		US-2002/0129712 A1	09/19/2002	Westbrook et al.						
		US-2002/0144603 A1	10/10/2002	Taylor						
VL.		US-2002/0144604 A1	10/10/2002	Winkler et al.						

	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner	Cite	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages	Π			
Initials*	No.1	Country Code ³ -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁵	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appear	т⁰			
						$oldsymbol{ol}}}}}}}}}}}}}}}}}}}$			
						L			
						L			
						L			
						Τ			
						\mathbb{L}			

Examiner Signature R. Alexandu Date Considered 1025 Rools

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

PTO/SB/08A				Application Number	10/763,444
Substitute for Form PTO-1449				Filing Date	January 23, 2004
	INFORMATION DISCLOSURE			First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.
STA	TEMENT	BY APP	LICANT	Art Unit	1761
(u	(use as many sheets as necessary)			Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
Sheet 10 of 15		Attorney Docket	67641		

	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS									
Examiner Cite		Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages					
Initials*	No.1	Number-Kind Code ²	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appear					
M		US-2002/0148356 A1	10/17/2002	Lazaris et al.						
<u> </u>		US-2002/0148357 A1	10/17/2002	Lazaris et al.						
		US-2003/0005826 A1	01/09/2003	Sargent et al.						
		US-2003/0039731 A1	02/27/2003	Dalton et al.						
		US-2003/0056655 A1	03/27/2003	Kollep et al.						
		US-D475,567 S	06/10/2003	Hsu						
		US-2003/0145736 A1	08/07/2003	Green						
		US-6,606,938 B2	08/19/2003	Taylor						
$\sqcup \bot$		US-6,607,762 B2	08/19/2003	Lazaris et al.						
Ц		US-6,612,224 B2	09/02/2003	Mercier et al.						
		US-D479,939 S	09/30/2003	Au						
		US-6,645,537 B2	11/11/2003	Sweeney et al.						
		US-6,655,260 B2	12/02/2003	Lazaris et al.						
A)		US-2003/0222089 A1	12/04/2003	Hale						

	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner	Cite	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines				
Initials*	No.1	Country Code ³ -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁵	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	Τ¢			
						╀			
						╁			
		. = =				t			
						L			
		- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				L			
						L			
						╀			

Examiner Signature R. Alexand Date Considered 10/25/06

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

PTO/SB/08				Application Number	10/763,444
Substitute	for Form PTO	-1449		Filing Date	January 23, 2004
ř.	DRMATIO			First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.
STA	TEMENT	BY APF	PLICANT	Art Unit	1761
(u	ise as many sh	neets as nec	cessary)	Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
Sheet	11	of	15	Attorney Docket	67641

			U.S. PATENT D	OCUMENTS	
Examiner	Cite	Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages
Initials*	No.1	Number-Kind Code ²	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	or Relevant Figures Appea
RD		US-D489,930 S	05/18/2004	Tse	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			_	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
				<u> </u>	
···					
	 		-		<u> </u>
					<u> </u>
_					

	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner	Cite	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines	Π
Initials*	No.1	Country Code ³ -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁸	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	Τ°
	<u> </u>					$oldsymbol{\downarrow}$
	<u> </u>					╀
	-					╀
						╀
						╀
						╄
						╀
	<u> </u>					╀
<u> </u>					l	1

Examiner Signature	R. Alaxander	Date Considered	10/25/06

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

PTO/SB/08I	O/SB/08B stitute for Form PTO-1449 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT			Application Number	10/763,444
Substitute				Filing Date	January 23, 2004
				First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.
STA	TEMENT .	BY APP	LICANT	Art Unit	1761
(us	(use as many sheets as necessary)			Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
Sheet	12	of	15	Attorney Docket	67641

		NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS	
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate) title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published	T ²
		The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301709.2 dated 8 May 2003. (Attorney Docket 67638)	
		The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301702.7 dated 16 May 2003. (Attorney Docket 67626)	
		The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301696.1 dated 27 May 2003. (Attorney Docket \$7628)	
		The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301747.2 dated 30 May 2003. (Attorney Docket 67641)	
		The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301738.1 dated 9 June 2003. (Attorney Docket 67640)	
		The United Kingdom Ratent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301708.4 dated 12 June 2003. (Attorney Docket 67642)	
		The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301710.0 dated 12 June 2003. (Attorney Docket 67634)	
		The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301679.7 dated 16 June 2003. (Attorney Docket 67627)	
		The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301698.7 dated 16 June 2003. (Attorney Docket 67633)	
		The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301741.5 dated 16 June 2003. (Attorney Docket 67631)	
		The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301739.9 dated 17 June 2003. (Attorney Docket 67632)	
		The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301745.6 dated 17 June 2003. (Attorney Docket 67639)	
		The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301680.5 dated 19 June 2003. (Attorney Docket 67629)	

Examiner 10/25/06 Date Signature Considered

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

PTO/SB/08I		1440		Application Number	10/763,444
Substitute 1	or Form PTO-	1449		Filing Date	January 23, 2004
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE				First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.
STA	TEMENT I	BY APP	LICANT	Art Unit	1761
lus	(use as many sheets as necessary)			Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
Sheet	13	of	15	Attorney Docket	67641

	NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS	
 Cite No.1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published	T ²
	The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301681.3 dated 24 June 2003. (Attorney Docket 67630)	
	The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301733.2 dated 27 June 2003. (Attorney Docket 67625)	
	The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301734.0 dated 27 June 2003. (Attorney Docket 6/637)	
	The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301735.7 dated 4 July 2003. (Attorney Docket 67635)	
	The United Kingdom Patent Office Combined Search and Examination Report for GB 0301713.4 dated 16 July 2003. (Attorney Docket 67636)	
	European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0366.4 dated March 18, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67638)	
	European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0362.3 dated March 22, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67635)	
	European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0376.3 dated March 23, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67637)	
	European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0361.5 dated May 4, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67681)	
	European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0360.7 dated May 7, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67630)	
	European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0365.6 dated May 7, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67626)	
	European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0377.1 dated May 7, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67639)	
,	European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0381.3 dated May 7, 2004 (Attorney Docket 67640)	

Examiner Signature R. A lexander Date Considered 10/25/06

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

PTO/SB/08	.	1440		Application Number	10/763,444	
Substitute	Substitute for Form PTO-1449 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE			Filing Date	January 23, 2004	
				First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.	
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT			LICANT	Art Unit	1761	
(us	e as many sh	eets as nec	essary)	Examiner Name	Not yet assigned	
Sheet	14	of	15	Attorney Docket	67641	

		NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS	
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.'	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published	T ²
		European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0382.1 dated May 7, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67629)	
		European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0384.7 dated May 7, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67634)	
		European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0380.5 dated May 10, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67636)	
		European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0357.3 dated May 11, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67627)	
		European Patent Office Partial European Search Report for EP 04 25 0364.9 dated May 11, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67632)	
		European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0363.1 dated May 17, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67628)	
		European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0389.6 dated May 17, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67625)	
		European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0383.9 dated May 28, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67633)	
		European Patent Office/Search Report for EP 04 25 0388.8 dated June 1, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67642)	
		European Patent Office Search Report for EP 04 25 0390.4 dated June 17, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67641)	
		PCT Invitation to Pay Additional Fees and Communication Relating to the Results of the Partial International Search for PCT/GB2004/000272 dated May 11, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67625, 67627, 67628, 67629, 67630, 67631)	
		PCT International Search Report and Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority for PCT/GB2004/000273 dated May 12, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67634)	
		PCT International Search Report and Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority for PCT/GB2004/000279 dated May 17, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67642)	

				<u> </u>
Examiner Signature	P. Alexand	 Date Considered	10/25	.06

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

PTO/SB/08	_		<u> </u>	Application Number	10/763,444
Substitute t	for Form PTO-	1449		Filing Date	January 23, 2004
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE				First Named Inventor	Andrew HALLIDAY et al.
STA	TEMENT .	BY APP	PLICANT	Art Unit	1761
lus	se as many sh	eets as ned	cessary)	Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
Sheet	15	of	15	Attorney Docket	67641

		NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published	Т					
		PCT International Search Report and Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority for PCT/GB2004/000268 dated May 24, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67633)						
		PCT Invitation to Pay Additional Fees and Communication Relating to the Results of the Partial International Search for PCT/GB2004/000276 dated May 24, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67632, 67639, 67640)						
		PCT International Search Report and Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority for PCT/GB2004/080282 dated June 3, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67626)						
		PCT International Search Report and Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority for PCT/GB2004/000287 dated June 16, 2004. (Attorney Docket 6764)						
		PCT Invitation to Pay Additional Fees and Communication Relating to the Results of the Partial International Search for PCT/G82004/000265 dated June 17, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67635, 67636, 67637, 67638)						
		PCT International Search Report and Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority for PCT/GB2004/000272 dated September 7, 2004 (Attorney Docket 67625, 67627, 67628, 67629, 67630, 67631)						
		PCT International Search Report and Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority for PCT/GB2004/000276 dated September 7, 2004. (Attorney Docket 67632, 67639, 67640)						
		,						
Examiner Signature		P. Alexand Date Considered 20/25/66						

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.